INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT

2003

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EXECUTIVE REPORT

I am pleased to present the Annual Report of the Independent Schools Sports Association for the year 2003.

Throughout 2003 the Association successfully pursued its aims by organizing sporting activities between member schools which provided our young people with opportunities for learning, enjoyment, fellowship and achievement.

The members of the Executive exercise a collegial responsibility to ensure that the high standards of sportsmanship, resourcing, coaching and supervision of our Association are maintained across all sports and all levels of competition.

Eight new member schools joined the Association from the beginning of 2003 and we now have a total membership of 26 schools. The Chairman and Executive Officer visited a further three schools during the year to discuss their progress towards reaching the required criteria for membership. Two of those schools have been invited to apply for membership from the beginning of 2005. In the meantime, they have been invited to participate in selected sports during 2004.

The executive had established a sub-committee to prepare a Code of Practice for the Association. A draft Code of Practice was tabled at the November meeting for ratification at the February meeting of 2004. The code outlines the responsibilities of member schools, coaches, managers, players and spectators. In collaboration with Sports Coordinators, further work is proceeding on disciplinary and reporting procedures.

Other matters deliberated by the Executive during the year included a review of ISSA representative teams, codes of behaviour, and provision of medical care. The Association entered into discussions with SASSSA regarding their affiliation fees and at the year's end this matter was awaiting resolution.

The Executive is reliant on the members of the Sports Coordinators committee for their advice in regard to the many practical issues which arise in the management of a large competition such as ours. The Executive Officer attends the Sports Coordinators meetings and their chairperson reports to the Executive so that lines of communication are maintained.

On behalf of the members of the Executive, I thank Mr Steve Clohesy, Chair, and the other sports coordinators for all that they do to support the Executive and to ensure the success of our Association. I also express our thanks to the many generous coaches, managers and officials who ensure that the experience that we offer is second to none.

Most of all, I thank and congratulate the young people of our schools for their sportsmanship, their enthusiasm and their commitment to the ideals of sport.

Finally I wish to acknowledge the expertise and commitment of our Executive Officer, Ms Jill George, and thank her on behalf of all involved in our Association for her patience, support and skill which ensure that our competition is both highly successful and managed efficiently.

Mr Chris Blake
Chairperson
ISSA Executive

SPORTING ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

The Secondary Coordinators met four times during the year the last meeting being a one day Conference at St Paul's Function Centre. Mr Steve Clohesy from Sacred Heart College continued as Chairman of this group and as such represented the Coordinators at the Executive Meetings.

As occurred in 2002, all meetings were held at Pulteney Grammar School, and on behalf of the Coordinators we express our thanks to Rick Woolford for his willingness to host these meetings again this year.

The Coordinators meetings including the Conference were very well attended and I acknowledge the support and input given by this group, who we all acknowledge are very busy, dedicated people.

Some of the topics discussed at our meetings (including the Conference) were:

Codes of Behaviour
Policy Document
SASSSA Affiliation structure
Representative Football
Achilles Cup new Computer program
Updating Rules of Competition
Working with SANFL – clubs and schools

At the Annual Dinner held at St Paul's Function Centre, Mr Chris Blake, Chair of ISSA Executive presented Life membership awards to the following people:

Bill Gaynor	Mercedes College
Jeff Hunter	Mercedes College
Roger Lancaster	Marryatville High School
Graham Tham	Sacred Heart Middle School
Rob Sturman	Sacred Heart Middle School
David Tiller	Westminster School

It is indeed important that we are able to publicly acknowledge those coordinators/coaches who have spent many years supporting the school sports program. The running of these programs rely heavily on the commitment of many people within our schools without whom our sporting events would cease to exist.

The Primary Sports Coordinators met three times in 2003 at Christian Brothers College Junior School with Mike Buttfield again in the Chair.

These meetings are also very well attended and we are indeed fortunate to have a group of dedicated teachers who are obviously interested in giving the best opportunities to as many students as possible to be involved in some type of sporting experience.

As Sporting Administrator I sincerely thank the Coordinators for their cooperation and commitment to the ISSA programs.

I also convey my thanks to Mr Chris Blake, Chair of Executive for the support and leadership he has given me in my role with this Association.

Independent Schools' Sports Association

Balance Sheet as at 31 December

2002	*2002*		*2003*	*2003*
		Current assets		
	15070	Current bank deposit		18371
	53649	Term deposit + int net		38410
	68719			56781
		GST		
1159		Liability Prepaid	1658	
10191		Owed	10112	
4954		Less Credit Inputs	5084	
4739	1657	Less Paid	5331	1356
	67062			55425
		Members Funds		
69816	69816	Balance b/fwd	67062	
		Rounding Adj	2	
0	69816		0	67063
	-2754	Plus Income/Loss(-)		-11638
	67062			55425

2002		*2003*
15270	***Balance Bank Statement***	18691
	Deposits O/s	
15270		18691
200	Less Cheques O/s	320
15070		18371
	Balance Cash Book	
137410	Receipts	130084
129667	Payments	124992
7743		5092
	Investment	
61579	Opening Balance	53649
2070	Interest	1761
25000	Withdrawals	17000
15000	Deposit	0
53649	Closing Balance	38410

Independent Schools' Sports Association

Income and Expenditure Statement from 1st January 2003 to 31 December 2003

INCOME			EXPENDITURE		
2002		2003	2002		2003
79236	Income from Schools	99121	51630	Contract Sports Administrator	51630
16071	Other Income		6148	Achilles Cup	7183
5000	Office of Rec and Sport	2000	1152	James Manifold - Photos	
1882	Interest Invest	1761	6206	SANFL	8680
30	Interest	60	6125	Waterpolo	8492
			538	Postage	568
			6739	Rep Teams	8260
			3219	Stationary/Printing	3122
			9012	St Paul's Centre & Conference	9040
			540	Life Membership	755
			3364	Hockey	6337
			136	Soccer Referees	
			7920	Next Generation Drive Tennis	8146
			171	Miscellaneous Expenses	471
			272	Insurances etc	272
			98	Gov Taxes Finance	200
			750	Robert Murphy	750
			2600	Payneham Pool	
			668	Auditor	674
			104973	Total Expenses	114580
			-2754	Excess Income/Expenditure	-11638
102219		102942	102219		102942

3396	GST Received	10112		GST		GST on Expenses	5084
2475	GST Invest			GST Invest		GST Invest	
15000	Asset - Investment Transfer In	1761		Assets		Asset - Investment Transfer Out	17000

Finance Report

INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

The Income and Expenditure statement for the period 1/1/03 to 31/12/03 and the Balance Sheet as at 31/12/03 have been drawn up so as to represent, to the best of my knowledge and belief, a true record of the affairs of the Association for the year ended 31 December 2003. The amounts have been individually rounded up.

Accounting Policies

These reports have been prepared for the information of members as required under the constitution and to fulfil the Association's statutory obligations.

Sporting Administrator

Audit Report

I have audited the financial reports of the Association consisting of the Income and Expenditure statement for the period 1/1/03 to 31/12/03 and the Balance Sheet as at that date. The audit was conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Procedures included an examination of evidence supporting the amounts. These procedures have been undertaken to form an opinion as to whether, in all respects, the financial reports are presented fairly in accordance with the accounting policies of the Association.

In my opinion the financial reports present a true and fair view of the results of the Association as at 31 December 2003 and the results of its operations for the year then ended.

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ATHLETICS

On September 25th 2003 The Achilles Cup was held at the Santos Stadium in warm and slightly windy conditions.

It was pleasing to welcome Concordia College into Division 2 of the event and we trust they become an integral part of future Achilles Cup. We now have fifteen schools involved and as sixteen is the maximum number of schools able to be involved it seems that there are two or three schools vying for that position.

Pulteney Grammar School was the host school and we thank Rick Woolford and the group of students and teachers who assisted in carrying out a variety of tasks throughout the day.

With the fine-tuning of the program, the event ran very smoothly and we were able to complete the day well within the anticipated time.

Thanks must be recorded to all officials from the competing schools. Those from Athletics SA and Little Athletics, whose willing assistance is vital to the smooth running of the event.

A very special thanks to Richard Bednall, and the small group of staff who assisted in the implementation of the new Computer Program. Overall we experienced a few 'glitches' and no doubt these will be sorted out before the 2004 event.

Mr Graham Lange, Principal of the host School, and Mr Chris Blake, Chair of ISSA Executive, presented trophies and pennants to the winning schools. Mr Richard Burchnall Principal of St Peters College assisted with the presentations and it was fitting that he could assist at his last Achilles Cup before retirement.

St Peters College was victorious in Group A, defeating Prince Alfred College in a close contest. Christian Brothers College was the winner of Group B with Westminster in second place.

Final Scores were:

GROUP A	**GROUP B**
St Peters College	Christian Brothers College
Prince Alfred College	Westminster School
Pembroke School	St Ignatius College
Rostrevor College	Concordia College
Trinity College	Scotch College
Pulteney Grammar School	Immanuel College
Sacred Heart College	St Pauls College
St Michaels College	

The Age Group Pennants were won by the following schools:

U14	St Peters College	Christian Brothers College
U15	Prince Alfred College	Christian Brothers College
U16	Prince Alfred College	Christian Brothers College
U17	Prince Alfred College	Westminster School
Open	St Peters College	Christian Brothers College

BADMINTON

As a sport offered in Term 1 and Term 4 Badminton has increased in popularity quite dramatically over the last few years.

For the year 2003 there were sixty two teams nominated to compete and the increase in the year 8/9 numbers continues to rise.

The games are played at 9.00 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. Saturday mornings. This time seems to be compatible with other sports that use similar facilities and therefore it seems reasonably certain that Badminton will continue to be played as a summer sport in Term 1 and 4.

CROSS COUNTRY

Cross Country continues to enjoy widespread popularity with a variety of both secondary and primary students. In 2003 twenty two schools nominated to be involved, with eleven schools offering to host one of the weekly meets.

The following schools were hosts and we do thank them for their continued support. Without their willingness to assist Cross country as one of our sporting options would not eventuate.

Pembroke School
Mercedes College
Pulteney Grammar School
Adelaide High School
St Michaels College
St Ignatius College
Christian Brothers College
Rostrevor College
Immanuel Junior School
St Johns Grammar School

This was the second year we joined with SASSSA to run a teams Relay event. ISSA was again quite well represented, however the non ISSA schools involved were very few. Both ISSA and SASSSA agreed that in 2004 ISSA would hold their own relay event (Mercedes has offered to host) and if any of the SASSSA teams wished to compete they could join our ISSA schools for that day.

COMBINED BASKETBALL

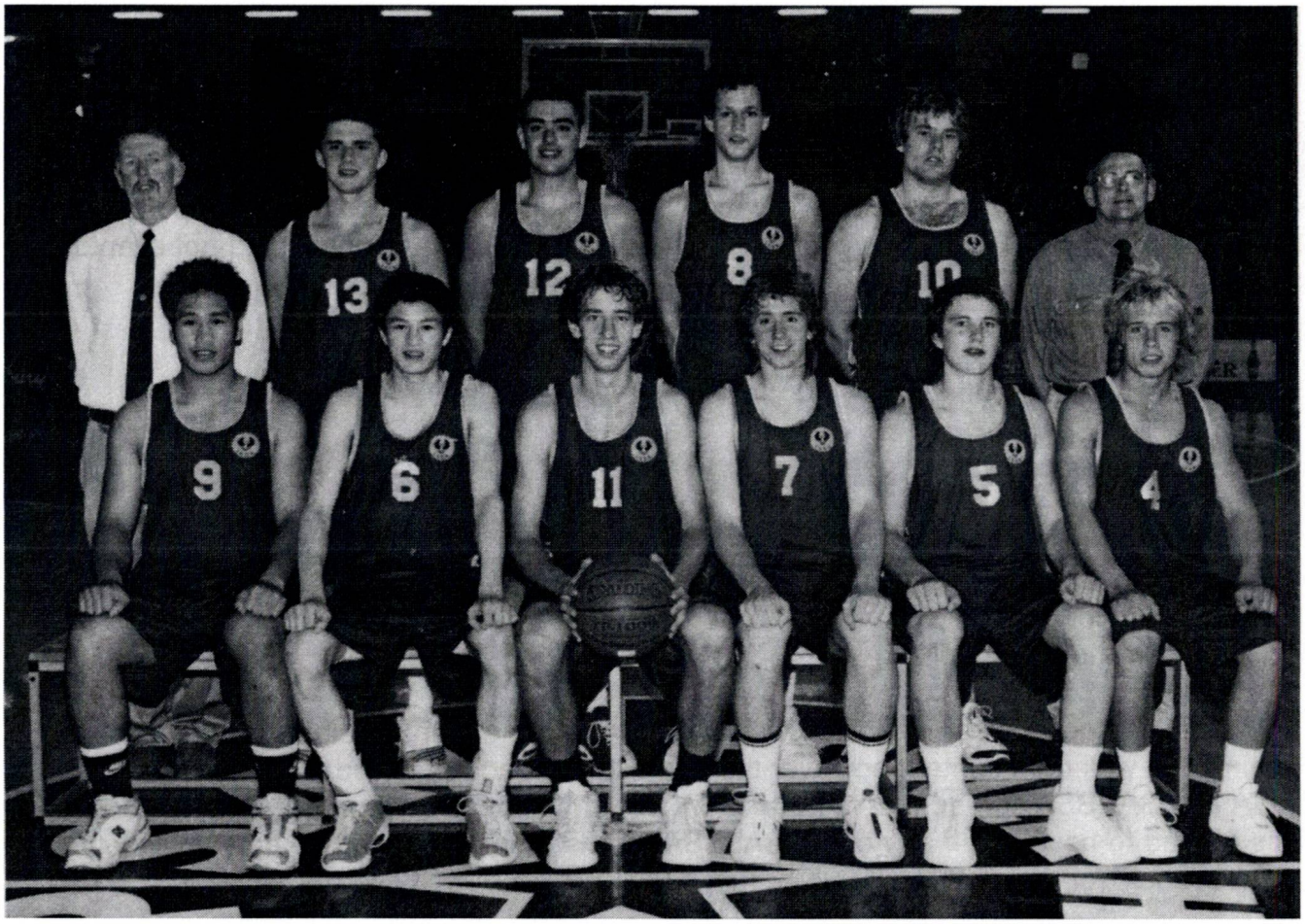
This year the annual game between ISSA and SASSSA was held on Saturday February 22nd 2003, at the Clipsal Powerhouse, again as a curtain raiser to the 36ers second semi-final.

It was obvious that both teams consisted of some very skilled and talented young players, and because of this the game was of a very high standard.

The SASSSA team, however, showed their superiority by eventually defeating ISSA 101-88.

ISSA wishes to thank Wayne Hoffman from St Michael's College and Brian Cadd from Sacred Heart College, for their longstanding support as Officials of our Representative Basketball Team.

We also would like to record our thanks to BASA through Colin Thompson for their support of this game, in supplying referees, time keepers and the use of a first class facility in the Powerhouse.



Back Row: Mr Wayne Hoffman (Coach), Joseph Mencel, Steven Williams, Peter Hoban, Phil Modra, Mr John Cadd (Manager).
Front Row: Peter Nguyen, Marcus Ng, Josh Wood (Captain), Leif Burdon, Ryan Kersten, Ashley McDonell.

COMBINED CRICKET

This year the Annual Match between ISSA and SASSSA was to be held at the Kensington Oval on Wednesday March 19th 2003.

Unfortunately the match was cancelled due to rain.

ISSA would like to thank Pembroke School and in particular Peter Urnevicius for allowing us the use of their pitch.

Thanks also to Steve Clohesy, Peter Williams, Peter Judd and Tim Hart for the time and effort they put in at training sessions and selection.

We also acknowledge SACA for their support of this annual match.



Back Row: Mr Stephen Clohesy (Coach), Nathan Schollar (SHC), Luke Rivett (STMC), Simon Schwerdt (RC), Nick Bailey (SPSC), Bernie Vince (PAC), Chris Stack (TC).
Front Row: Russell Biar (STMC), Jake Brown (RC), Warrick Stanborough (SHC) Vice Captain, James Harford (SPSC) Captain, Nick Corsini (SHC), Matthew Paull (RC).

FOOTBALL

The ISSA Football competition has continued this year to be a strong and very important sport during our winter terms. This year there were one hundred and thirty five teams nominated for our secondary and primary competition.

The results of the TXU Secondary Schools Open Football Pool A Semi finals were as follows:

Henley High School	5.10	(40)	def	Rostrevor College	3.11	(29)
Sacred Heart College	9.7	(61)	def	Trinity College	3.6	(24)

The Grand Final was played on Tuesday 26th August under lights at the Norwood Oval. Sacred Heart College 14:10 (94) defeated Henley High School 2:0 (12).

Player of the Match was awarded to Alex Burton of Sacred Heart College, who was presented the 'Colin Steinert Medal'.

In the year 8/9 Statewide Knockout Competition, Sacred Heart College won the Grand Final defeating Nuriootpa High School 16:13 to 3:3. The SANFL provided medallions for the winning teams and appointed umpires for the final, which was played at the Richmond Oval on Tuesday September 16th. Lachlan Button from Sacred Heart College was the inaugural winner of the Malcolm Greenslade Medal.

We record our thanks to SASSSA and in particular to Margaret Anderson for their organisation of these Statewide Knockout competitions.

The SANFL, through both Shane Harris and Mark Bywaters, has continued to assist us with their appointment of an Independent Schools Umpire Panel Supervisor in Robert Murphy who was ably assisted by Colin Steinert. We thank both Robert and Colin for the work they have done in the training and placing umpires for our afternoon games.

COMBINED SOCCER

The annual soccer match between ISSA and SASSSA was played at Enfield City Soccer Club on Sunday June 15th 2003, and we again thank the officials of Enfield City for enabling us the use of their facilities.

The game was well contested, but it was obvious that the SASSSA team was stronger and more skilful than the younger ISSA team.

The final score was an indication of this, with SASSSA defeating ISSA 8 goals to 0.

ISSA thanks the officials involved with the team for their commitment and willingness to assist. Particular thanks to Ray Coster as Coach, Mr V Basile, Assistant Coach and Mr C Marlene who assisted as a selector.



Back Row: Mr. V. Basile (Assistant Coach), Ric Todarello (RC), Oliver Totani (RC) Ricky Capaldo (RC), Adrian Kunhegyesy (RC), Adam Trimboli (RC), Scot Clarkson (BPS), Francesco Costa (BPS), Mr. R. Costar (Coach).
Front Row: Brett Selga (PAC), Luke Goode (PAC), Stephen Boffa (CBC), Tom Massey (WS), Matthew Richardson (BPS - Captain), Julius Salerno (MERC), Neil Thomas (CAB), Adrian Esposito (BPS).
Absent: Mr C. Marlene (Selector)

SOCCER

The number of soccer teams both at primary and secondary level continues to grow. In 2003 we had two hundred and thirty three teams and nominations promise to increase again in 2004.

The problem of facilities is cause for concern for some schools – particularly those with a large number of teams. However, at this stage we have been able to program all nominated teams without having to enforce the rule regarding the number of teams versus the available soccer grounds. Schools have been very cooperative in sharing facilities occasionally if the need arises thus enabling all students who wish to play the chance to do so.

We are still fortunate to enlist the support of the South Australian Soccer Referees Association through David Keniwell to assist with the Open A and B games. ISSA wishes to thank David most sincerely for the work he continues to do with the referee appointments.

The task of finding suitably qualified referees has become more difficult, and some schools have been proactive in accessing referee courses for their up and coming junior referees.

PRIMARY GOLF

Mike Buttfield has again worked hard in an effort to encourage our primary students to become involved with the primary golf program.

Two Sunday morning clinics were held at Adelaide Shores with the assistance of Nick McCormack from the South Australian Golf Association.

The ISSA golf day was held in Term 3 and again a record number of students attended and competed.

We wish to also acknowledge the work done by John Athanasiou, Jason Cosgrove, and Tim Weatherald in assisting Mike Buttfield on the competition day.

TABLE TENNIS

Table Tennis has continued to be a viable option for many of our students and the competition is continuing to develop within a growing number of schools.

The option of competing on Friday evening has made the sport most acceptable to our schools, as it allows students to play another sport on Saturday and also allows greater use of their indoor venues.

TENNIS

Over the last few years in quite a few of our schools tennis has become a very popular sport. However, the main problem schools have experienced is the lack of facilities for the number of students wishing to be involved.

On the other hand there are a smaller number of schools who are experiencing some difficulty with finding twelve students at each year level to enable them to enter into the A/B competitions. The suggestion of reducing the number to eight players has been raised at our Coordinators meetings, but at the moment the majority of schools still seem to be happy with the status quo.

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DRIVE TENNIS

This excellent Saturday morning tennis competition involving the elite players from our schools has continued to flourish.

It is now five years since the Next Generation took over the ownership of the previously known Drive Tennis Courts, and we have continued to work with the new groups with very little obvious change to our administration.

This year Woodcroft College entered into the competition thus making eleven teams in the A2 division and 8 teams in A1.

The teachers involved with the Student Tennis continue to support this ongoing program and have accepted the changes willingly and have assisted in every way towards the smooth running of the competition.

MrJeff Hunter who Chaired the Schools Tennis Committee for many years resigned from this task at the end of 2003 and on behalf of the teachers and students involved in this competition we thank him most sincerely for the many years of dedication to schools tennis.

DRIVE TENNIS RESULTS 2003

A1 PREMIERSHIP TABLE AND POINTS

ST MICHAELS COLLEGE	28
MARRYATVILLE	24
PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE	19
ST PETERS COLLEGE	17
PEMBROKE SCHOOL	10
SACRED HEART COLLEGE	8
BLACKFRIARS PRIORY SCHOOL	4
MERCEDES COLLEGE	2

Winner of the Next Generation/Memorial Drive Trophy Div 1 — St Michaels College
Winner of Player of the Year for Division 1 2003 — Dado Pavic St Michaels College

A2 PREMIERSHIP TABLE AND POINTS

ST IGNATIUS COLLEGE	26
UNLEY HIGH SCHOOL	22
WESTMINSTER SCHOOL	17
TRINITY COLLEGE	16
IMMANUEL COLLEGE	14
PULTENEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL	13
SCOTCH COLLEGE	12
ROSTREVOR COLLEGE	10
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS COLLEGE	8
ST PAULS COLLEGE	2
WOODCROFT COLLEGE	0

Winner of the Division 2 Trophy 2003 — St Ignatius College
Winners of the Player of the Year Division 2 2003 — Andrew Oermann Trinity College

HOCKEY

Over the last two years the ISSA Hockey competition has shown very little expansion and virtually no real growth in any age level.

The Open A competition involves very few schools and the difference in standard between the Open A and Open B is widening each year. The lack of growth in our schools hockey is indicative of what has occurred within the club structure, and there seems little indication that this will change in the next few years.

We extend our thanks to those schools which have again allowed ISSA to use their synthetic surface each Saturday morning. Those schools involved are, Christian Brothers College, St Peters College, Pulteney Grammar School and Prince Alfred College. In addition we have continued to use Woodville, Adelaide University, and Golden Grove.

ISSA is grateful to Hockey SA, through Peter Delacey for supplying and allocating Umpires to most of our games; this is indeed a service we hope will continue. We must add our thanks also to Margaret Grieve who assisted Peter with supplying Umpires to the Golden Grove venue.

The Primary competition was again shared between Adelaide Hockey Club and Burnside Hockey Club, both in the use of facilities and umpires. We thank them for their willingness to assist and trust that their clubs gain something from this interaction with our schools.

Again, the Primary competition has not increased in size for at least two years, and again there are signs that apart from two or three schools there is little indication that numbers will increase in the next year or so.

VOLLEYBALL

The Volleyball competition has continued to grow and this is indeed encouraging for the supporters of the sport.

ISSA continues to be grateful to those schools who made their facilities available for regular use, namely, Rostrevor College, Blackfriars Priory School, Christian Brothers College Pulteney Grammar School, and to a lesser degree Pembroke School, St Peters College and Concordia College. However, the increase in teams has meant that it is becoming more difficult to program all games for the different groups at the same venue, particularly with the Year 8/9 competition.

At the moment we have coped without too much disruption for schools, but if the numbers continue to increase we may have to look at either splitting the venues, or endeavouring to find more indoor facilities.

It was disappointing this year that Volleyball SA did not continue to support our competition by supplying referees to the various centres. This seems to be a growing problem generally within the State Sporting Associations and indeed is beginning to impact upon the schools' capacity to be involved.

SWIMMING

The Wednesday afternoon swimming competition involved fifteen schools which competed weekly at various schools. We again thank those schools and their personnel for organising the weekly 'meets' allocated to their pool. Those schools being:
St Peters College, Rostrevor College, Scotch College, Prince Alfred College and Pembroke School

We have experienced an increase in the number of schools interested in our swimming competition and we trust they will nominate for the 2004 program.

The final was held at St Peters College on March 27th and we must thank Mr Laurence Humphrys and our small group of judges and recorders for assisting us in running the event. The eight schools were indeed fortunate to be able to compete in such a magnificent pool and surrounds.

Final results were:

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE	704
ST PETERS COLLEGE	595
PEMBROKE SCHOOL	577
ROSTREVOR COLLEGE	554
ST MICHAELS COLLEGE	487
WESTMINSTER SCHOOL	485
MERCEDES COLLEGE	423
TRINITY COLLEGE	365

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WATERPOLO

Waterpolo remains a strong sport within the relatively few schools where there is a long-standing tradition for the sport. However, there are very few new schools who enter this competition, one of the reasons being that they find these schools far too strong and there are not enough schools of their standard to play against.

The Adelaide Aquatic Centre continued as the venue for both the Open A/B and the year 10 competition. Although the cost of this venue has risen slightly, without the use of this facility our program would not exist. We are grateful to Anne Kurzel at the Aquatic Centre for her assistance and support at all times.

This year we were able to make use of the new Aquatic facilities at St Peters College – and we endeavoured to play a variety of age levels at this venue on any one day.

Pembroke School was the other school's pool used each week and we thank both schools for enabling this to occur.

We are again grateful to Gary Mavrenic from the Waterpolo Association for the organisation of the referees on a weekly basis.

The cost of water usage at the Adelaide Aquatic Centre rose slightly in 2002 and we experienced a small rise this year. However, it is still within reasonable limits, and we trust that it continues to be affordable for our schools.

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NATIONAL SCHOOLS REPRESENTATION

Students from ISSA Member Schools were widely represented in the following sports in the year 2003

17 YEARS and under BASEBALL	**ACT**	**May 3-9th**
David Currie	Immanuel College	
Tim Day	Cabra Dominican College	
Paul Doley	St Michaels College	
Tim Holland	Sacred Heart College	
Jared Kempf	St Michaels College	
Thomas McNally	St Michaels College	
Jonathon Rex	Immanuel College	
Chris Slee	Christian Brothers College	

15 YEARS CRICKET	**Bathurst**	**March 30th-April 6th**
Jace Bode	Pulteney Grammar School	
Christopher Geddie	Westminster School	
Todd Pfeiffer	Concordia College	

BOYS and GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY	**Sunshine Coast**	**August 23rd-26th**
Richard Everest	Westminster School	
Matthew Langley	Marryatville High School	
Charlotte Budenberg	Pembroke School	
Elizabeth O'Fathartlaigh	Mercedes College	
Molly Rydon	Concordia College	
Chris Stapelton	St Peters College	
Dylan Greef	Prince Alfred College	
David Holland	Westminster School	
Mitchell Ollington	St Michaels College	
Anneke Woods	Pembroke School	
Kim Butcher	Pembroke School	
Matthew Dineen	Mercedes College	
Rebecca Kozien	Trinity College	

Under 16 FOOTBALL	**Adelaide**	**July 26th-August 2nd**
Jace Bode	Pembroke School	
Thomas Cornish	St Johns Grammar School	
Ben Eckerman	Concordia College	
Alex Hutchins	Immanuel College	
Brendan Littler	Rostrevor College	
Adam McIntyre	Marryatville High School	
Angus Monfries	Pembroke School	
Jed Wilson	Sacred Heart College	

Under 19 GOLF	**Ocean Shores NSW**	**August 16th-23rd**
Chris Austin	Christian Brothers College	
Louis Fuller	Westminster School	
Andre Na	Prince Alfred College	

Under 17 BOYS HOCKEY	**Townsville**	**August 9th-16th**
Sandeep Agarwal	St Peters College	
Anthony Antoniadis	Prince Alfred College	
Jamie Bahnisch	Prince Alfred College	
Joel Langley	St Peters College	
Patrick Maddern	St Peters College	
Matthew McHugh	Sacred Heart College	
Will Miles	St Peters College	
Geof Mills	Christian Brothers College	
Miles Pfitzner	Pembroke School	
Rob Porter	St Peters College	
GIRLS 16 YEARS HOCKEY	**Perth**	**August 9th-17th**
Kylie Boag	Immanuel College	
Catherine Oermann	Trinity College	
UNDER 20 BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER	**Melbourne**	**August 9th-16th**
BOYS		
Alex Durovic	Trinity College	
Adrian Kunhegyesy	Rostrevor College	
Michael Matricciani	Rostrevor College	
Brett Selga	Prince Alfred College	
Neil Thomas	Cabra Dominican College	
GIRLS		
Lisa Duffy	St Johns Grammar School	
Kristi Harvey	Trinity College	
BOYS and GIRLS TRIATHLON	**Queensland**	**April 14th-17th**
Chadd Greeff	Prince Alfred College	
Dylan Greeff	Prince Alfred College	
Jamie Tonks	Sacred Heart College	
Alex Ward	Pembroke School	
Kaitlin Tilley	St Johns Grammar School	

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

1997

Paul Horgan	Christian Brothers College
Denis Bawden	Pembroke School
Lex Hambour	Pembroke School
Roger Oaten	Pulteney Grammar School
Lindsay Cox	Sacred Heart College
Brian Quist	Sacred Heart College
John Cinchinski	
Peter Deane	

1998

Michael Buttfield	Christian Brothers College
Rob Coulls	Prince Alfred College
Malcolm Dawe	Prince Alfred College
Michael Fry	St Michaels College
Chris George	St Ignatius College
Jon Harmer	Blackfriars Priory School
Tim Hart	Rostrevor College
Neville Hayes	Prince Alfred College
Robert Holloway	Prince Alfred College
Vin McLoughlin	Rostrevor College
Peter Morris	Prince Alfred College
Robert Nicholson	Prince Alfred College
Tony Pervis	Rostrevor College
Chris Taylor	St Peters College
Peter Teakle	St Ignatius College
Peter Thomas	Prince Alfred College

1999

Robert Nak	St Pauls College
Norm Bennett	Prince Alfred College
Andy Miller	Scotch College
Paul Goode	Scotch College
Jim Rosevear	Scotch College
Peter Crossing	Scotch College
Rob Keil	Immanuel College

2000

Tony Checker	Scotch College
Rod Dyson	Scotch College
Paul Hadfield	St Peters College
Kim Harris	Westminster School
Ian Hume	St Peters College
Wayne Potter	St Peters College

2001

Br Paul Callil	St Ignatius College
Andrew McKenzie	St Peters College

2002

Ray Costar	Blackfriars Priory School
Jurgen Kracht	Prince Alfred College

2003

Bill Gaynor	Mercedes College
Jeff Hunter	Mercedes College
Roger Lancaster	Marryatville High School
Rob Sturman	Sacred Heart Middle School
Graham Tham	Sacred Heart Middle School
David Tiller	Westminster School

LOOKING BACK

Until 1965 this Association was known as "The Students' Football Association" and in 1966-67 it became known as "The Students' Cricket and Football Association."

In June 1967 it became "The Independent Schools Sportsmasters' Association", and a draft Constitution was drawn up. This continued until 1971 when it was re-named as "The Independent Schools' Sports Association."

The present Association was formed in 1977, where a new Constitution was drawn up and an Executive Committee formed, consisting of Headmasters and the Chairman and Secretary of ISSA.

Since 1978 this Executive Committee has met on a regular basis, and all recommendations from the Sportsmasters are taken to this group for endorsement.

In the year 2000, the Constitution has again come under review, and a new draft document will be completed by the Annual General Meeting in May 2001.

TEN YEARS SERVICE

D. Pike	**Westminster School**	**1964-88**
G Laycock	**St Peters College**	**1964-73**
M. Muecke	**Scotch College**	**1964-73**
	St Peters College	**1964-76**
C. Taylor	**St Peters College**	**1974-88**
M. McFarlane	**Christian Brothers College**	**1976-85**
	Cabra College	**1976-85**
	Rostrevor College	**1976-85**
B. Donnelly	**St Ignatius College**	**1977-86**
R. Nicholson	**Prince Alfred College**	**1977-86**
B. Quist	**Sacred Heart College**	**1976-88**
A. Hambour	**Pembroke School**	**1978-88**
R. Oaten	**Pulteney Grammar School**	**1978-88**
R. Duddy	**St Ignatius College**	**1979-88**
R. Keil	**Immanuel College**	**1980-89**

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